



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION 1711

Group Art Unit 1711  
Examiner: P. Hampton Hightower  
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Appln. Title: INTRINSICALLY GEL-FREE,  
RANDOMLY BRANCHED POLYAMIDE

Inventor(s): NIJENHUIS

Appln. No. 09

882,298

Series Code ↑

Serial No. ↑

Filed: June 18, 2001

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

Date: June 18, 2003

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim		For B & C See <u>Required</u> <u>Separate Paper</u> (Pat-256)		Claims remaining after amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra		Large/Small Entity		Additional Fee		Fee Code Lg/Sm	
A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT made				26		**minus		29		0		x \$18/\$9 =		103/203	
B. <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn				5		***minus		6		0		x \$84/\$42 =		102/202	
C. <input type="checkbox"/> made herewith															
D. <input type="checkbox"/> made previously															
4. If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time (leave blank if this is a reissue application) .....				add		+ \$280/\$140 =		+ \$0						104/204	
5. Original due Date: June 25, 2003				<input type="checkbox"/> NONE											
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due (1 mo) \$110/\$55 =														115/215	
date to cover the date this response is filed for which the (2 mos) \$400/\$200 =														116/216	
requisite fee is attached (3 mos) \$920/\$460 =														117/217	
(4 mos) \$1,440/\$720 =														118/218	
(5 mos) \$1,960/\$980 =														128/228	
7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract				- \$0											
8.				Extension Fee		+ \$0									
9. If <u>Terminal Disclaimer</u> attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee .....				+ \$110/\$55		+ \$0								148/248	
10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c), .....				add		+ \$180								126	
or if Rule 97(d) Request .....				add		+ \$180								126	
11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r) .....				+ \$740/370		+ \$0								146/246	
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b) .....				x \$740/370 ea		+ \$0								149/249	
13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) .....				+ \$740/370		+ \$0								1179/1279	
14. Petition fee for .....						+ \$0									
15.				TOTAL FEE =		\$0									
16. *If the entry in this space is less than entry in next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0".															
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(Our Order No. 030268 0281475  
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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If  
so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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